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**Employee Luncheon To Recognize Long Term Service to Troy**

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(September 27, 2005- TROY)- The City of Troy will honor more than 75 employees TODAY as part of its annual Employee Recognition Luncheon. The luncheon will take place on the Second floor of City Hall at NOON.

Among those being honored at the luncheon are Robert Freemantle, who has worked in the Department of Public Works for 35 years, and Police Chief Nicholas Kaiser, a member of Troy's finest for 30 years.

Mayor Harry J Tutunjian said Monday that it is the employee in the City of Troy that made his transition easy, and makes the job enjoyable.

"We have so many people that give their all each and every day, making the City of Troy a great place to live and work," Tutunjian said. "We saw it last week at the water main breaks on Hoosick Street. For three days, the Police Department, Public Utilities and Public Works banded together to do the best job possible. That happens every day in the City of Troy, but on a less publicized level. All of those being honored on Tuesday should be proud, and know that the residents of Troy appreciate all they do."

The luncheon will begin at noon with a presentation of awards by Mayor Tutunjian. All members of the media are encouraged to attend the event.